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Inc., Eugene, OR). The fluorescent signal from which is reflective of oxidative stress state (Karbowski et al., *Biochim. Biophys. Acta* 1449:25-40, 1999). As a further example, FACS of cells loaded with 10-N nonyl acridine orange (NAO) can be used to sort cells based on mitochondrial content (Petit et al., *Cytometry* 19:304-312, 1995).

5 Prior to their use in humans, compositions comprising chondrocytes according to the present invention are evaluated in animal models such as dogs, rats (Hyc et al., *Cell Transplant.* 6:119-124, 1997; Romaniuk et al., *Transpla. Immunol.* 3:251-257, 1995; Moskalewski et al., *Cell Transplant.* 2:467-473, 1993), rabbits (Brittberg et al., *Clin. Orthop.* 326:270-283, 1996) or transgenic animal models of arthritic disorders (see, e.g.,
10 U.S. Patent No. 5, 675,060).

From the foregoing it will be appreciated that, although specific embodiments of the invention have been described herein for purposes of illustration, various modifications may be made without deviating from the spirit and scope of the invention.

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